

Quick Facts

For: Children who are entering grades 1-6.
When: June 28 thru August 13 ~ seven weekly sessions.
5, 4 or 3 day options. Register by the week.
8:30 am-4:30 pm ~ regular hours.
Extended hours available.
Cost: 5 days, \$200; 4 days, \$175; 3 days, \$145.
Save: Register for multiple 5 day weeks at \$190 per week, saving \$10 per week per child.

Location

Each day begins at South School on Woburn Street and ends at Recreation Park on Abbot Street.

Recreation Park is a 200 acre multipurpose park containing a new inline skating rink, a softball field, open shelter, a club house, new playground equipment, basketball and tennis courts, picnic areas, restrooms, and large open wooded areas. In addition, Poms Pond sits in the lower portion of this scenic park. Full bathhouse facilities are available including a concession stand (closed on rainy days). Lifeguards are on duty seven days a week.

Program Director

Michelle Doucette has been the director of *All Day Discovery* for many years and has more than ten years of recreational experience working at summer camps, park programs, and various after school programs, including “Kid’s Club” in Andover. Michelle has a bachelor’s degree in Elementary and Special Education from Providence College. During the school year, Michelle is on staff at the Shawsheen Elementary School.

Staff

Supervised by qualified teachers, and college students. The approximate ratio of staff to children is 1:9.



Drop off & Pick up

Please drop children off at South School, gym entrance, pick up at the Rec Park “club house,” and sign them in and out of the program each day. Written notification must be given if children are to be picked up by an adult other than a parent. Please observe the program hours and arrive on time for both drop off and pick up.

Clothing

Send an extra set of clothing including a sweater or sweatshirt, bathing suit, and towel each day. All clothing should be labeled.

Lunch and Snack

Children need to bring a morning snack and lunch each day (refrigerator available), label the item or the bag. Children may also bring an afternoon snack, or purchase one at the concession stand at Poms Pond. When it rains, we don’t go to the pond; we stay at the Rec Park “club house.” **Please notify the staff if your child has food allergies.**

How to Register ~ beginning April 1st

Phone: Call 978-623-8274
Mail: Complete the registration form and mail to:
DCS, Town Offices
36 Bartlet Street
Andover, MA 01810
Visit: Monday-Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Fax: Fill out the registration form and fax to
978-623-8221

For Your Child's Safety

Parent’s, please make sure an “**updated**” *Emergency Information Sheet* is on file with DCS. Your child must have one on file to participate.



Payments/Withdrawals/Transfers

Fees must be paid with registration. We accept Visa, MasterCard, cash, and checks made payable to the “Town of Andover.” Refunds given for **withdrawals** before June 4th. **Transfers** from one week to another may be made one week before the start of the session; accommodations based on availability. There is a \$10 administrative fee for each transfer or pre-season withdrawal.

Program Rates

Includes T-shirt, transportation, admission for all field trips, and participation in all program activities.

☼ 5 days, Monday-Friday \$200
☼ 4 days, your choice \$175
☼ 3 days, your choice \$145

Extended Day Fees

☼ 7:30 - 8:30 am \$5 per day
☼ 4:30 - 5:30 pm \$5 per day

Late Pick Up Fees

This applies for those with both regular hours and extended day coverage. If there is a possibility that you will not arrive by 4:30 pm, please sign up for extended day coverage. If you are late at pick up:

☼ First time warning
☼ Thereafter \$5 after 10 minutes late
 \$10 after 20 minutes late

Non-residents

Registration for non-residents begins May 3rd. An additional \$15/season fee will be charged.

Age Requirement

Children must be entering grades 1-6.

All Day Discovery is an enrichment and recreational program for children entering grades 1-6. Children participate in a wide variety of age appropriate activities including tennis, Red Cross swimming lessons, open swimming, sailing, canoeing & kayaking, drama, sports, crafts, and field trips.

Activity Schedules

Schedules will be available the first Monday of each session. They will summarize the week's major activities as well as explain items children may bring from home for projects or special events.

Red Cross Swimming Lessons

Swimming lessons will be available to interested children Mondays-Thursdays. Children are tested initially and grouped by appropriate skill level.

Boating Lessons

Instruction in beginner sailing, kayaking, and canoeing will be offered to all interested children.

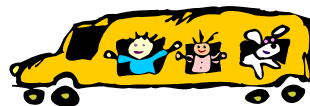
Tennis Lessons

Developmental tennis will be offered on a daily basis to interested children. The goal is to introduce children to the fun of tennis.

Field Trips

All field trips are included in the weekly rate. Enrollment for trips is automatic. It is the parents' responsibility to read the special event's flyer to insure children have the proper clothing, spending money, etc. for trips. The regular program will be closed on trip days. If you do not wish to sign your child up for a particular trip, please make alternate plans and advise the DCS staff.

Field Trips



FIELD TRIPS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

June 28-July 2

Field Trip ~ Wednesday, June 30

Salem Ice Center, Salem, NH
(lunch and skate rentals included)

July 6-9

Program not available Monday, July 5

On site Field Trip ~ Wednesday, July 7
Bonaparte, The Magician

July 12-16

Field Trip ~ Wednesday, July 14

Water Country, Portsmouth, NH

July 19-23

Field Trip ~ Wednesday, July 21

Wingarsheek, Gloucester, MA

July 26-30

On site field trip ~ Wednesday, July 28

Field Day

August 2-6

Field Trip ~ Wednesday, August 4

Canobie Lake Park, Salem, NH

August 9-13

Field Trip ~ Tuesday, August 10

Cranes Beach, Ipswich, MA

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At South School



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